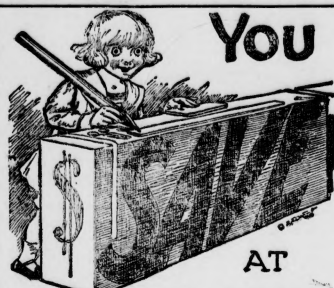


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IT IS ARITHMETIC TO BUY AT OUR STORE NOW. WE HAVE "CUT" OUR PRICES DOWN. OUR "REGULAR" PRICES ARE ALWAYS LOW PRICES. WE SIMPLY HAVE A LOT OF SUMMER GOODS; WE WANT TO SELL OUT FAST. THEY ARE GOOD GOODS, BUT WE DON'T WANT TO CARRY THEM OVER ANOTHER YEAR. THIS IS THE PLAIN REASON WHY WE HAVE LOWERED OUR PRICES. AT THE LOW "CUT" PRICES OUR SPLENDID, STYLISH SUMMER GOODS CAN'T LAST LONG. COME EARLY. GET FIRST PICK.

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## See Our Latest Styles in Ladies' and Men's Rain Coats

**RUBBER BOOTS for Muddy Weather**  
We carry the largest range of Fancy China and Crockery south of Calgary.  
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Cash or Trade.  
Fresh stock of Groceries always on hand.

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Claresholm - Alberta



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AUCTIONEER  
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Terms on Application  
Sales Conducted in all  
Parts of the District

CLARESHOLM, Alberta

## Dainty Summer Specials:

Genoise Strawberry Cake with French Cream, - 30c. doz.  
Cocoates, 30c. doz.  
Chocolate Marshmallow Roll, 15c. each  
Marshmallow Rolls, 15c. each

Save Time, Worry and Hard Labor by letting us do your Baking

**E. G. BARBER'S BAKERY**  
BAKFR and CONFECTIONER, Shelver St., Claresholm

## WANT ADVERTISEMENTS

**FOR SALE**—One carcase of Threading outfit, cash or on time. Apply GEO. MAXWELL, 150, Box 25, Claresholm. 164

**FOR SALE**—A Ford Car, lighted shape. Apply to J. B. BOESE, American Restaurant, Claresholm. 114

**TO RENT**—House and barn, lot near Public School. Apply J. B. BOESE, American Restaurant. 15c

If you are planning on having wall papering done, phone me at 130. H. S. HOGAN. 22c

Dr. Alexander, of Nanton, the Veterinary Surgeon, will be at Vanhorn's Livery barn every Wednesday 2:20.

**FILMS DEVELOPED** 25cents per roll. Prints made and up. The increase in the price is due to the difficulty in securing chemicals owing to war conditions. Mail orders promptly attended to. Enlargements of any kind of photographs. Children's photos a specialty. —Claresholm Art Studio, Claresholm

**For Sale** 100 Acres, 8 miles from Claresholm, all broken, in acres summer-fallow. Will sell for \$21 per acre cash for quick sale. Inquire at Review Advertiser office.

**For Sale** One 1915 Ford Car, guaranteed in perfect condition. All latest improvements, \$240. New last November. Inquire at Review Advertiser. 15c

**Stray Cattle** Suitable reward for finder of cattle brand marked with "S" and "P". Apply to J. B. BOESE, 20c

**Situation Wanted** in Claresholm by a young, capable woman, as general servant. Apply at once Barker Shop in old Alberta hotel. 20c

**For Sale** S.W. 1/4 of Sec. 4, Twp. 12 R. 28, W. 4th. Fenced, and plenty of water for stock. Price, \$12.50 per acre. Easy terms. Apply Mrs. L. Wyatt, Box 32, Claresholm. 24c

**Lost** on Star Line road, a brown stippled rug. Notify Review Advertiser office. 20c

## Rex Theatre

Open Mon., Tues., Fri. and Saturday  
(during summer months.)  
at 8 p.m.

JESSE L. LASKY presents

## Blanche Sweet

In a Plethora of the Emotional Dramatic Success

## "Stolen Goods" Rex Theatre

Friday & Saturday  
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Prices, 15c. and 25c.

The Place to Spend an Enjoyable Evening

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KEEP COOL

By Eating BOESE'S

## ICE-CREAM

Always on Hand—Choice Flavors  
Just the place to take a rest in

Comfort

FULL LINE OF

NEILSON'S CHOCOLATES

J. B. BOESE

PROPRIETOR

## LOCALS

Mr. Grant Clark spent the holidays at Lethbridge.

Agnes Laidlaw is visiting with Mrs. Fink in Calgary.

Miss Gail Strang arrived home this week from the Calgary College.

Miss Nurse McCormick returned to Claresholm last week after spending a few months in the North.

Miss Hazel Strang, left this week for Tacoma, Washington, where she expects to spend the summer.

Mrs. J. Miller, left for Ontario on Monday night where she expects to visit for a few weeks.

David Moir, of Ottawa, father of Mrs. Eric Moffatt, arrived on Tuesday last to spend a few weeks in Claresholm.

A letter from Duil Munro tells us that he is now a full fledged sergeant, having been promoted in the trenches for efficiency.

Mrs. F. M. Hamlin and family arrived here this week from B. C. They will spend the summer at their ranch at Meadow Creek.

Mr. J. Davidson, who has been appointed a member of the Examining Board, left for Edmonton this week.

Mrs. A. Hutton left this week for Broomeville, Ontario, where she will visit with friends for a while.

She was accompanied by Master Lorne and Miss Hazel Hutton.

William Chalmers McNeil, son of Rev. W. A. McNeil, M. A., Lethbridge, Alberta, has been appointed a member of the Staff of Moosejaw College.

Moosejaw College, Moosejaw College was founded in 1911, for the elementary education and Christian culture of young people of both sexes. It is a residential College.

This college was opened in 1913. It has a staff of twelve, and in its second year had considerably over one hundred young men enrolled.

Chalmers McNeil is only eighteen years of age, but he has shown in his teaching many of the elements that go to make a good teacher and is fortunate in getting such a position so early in life.

Will the party who found a wallet lying in Claresholm post office, or carried it away by mistake, on or about June 19th, please return it to the post office at once, as it is of importance to the owner. 25c

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## Promotion Examinations

Grade VII to VIII—Annie Farrer, Alvin Buckingham.

Successful students from Grade VI to VII.

Josephine Carver, Lorne Hutton, Josephine Mosley, Violet Boniface, Kathleen Holmes, Jessie MacKenzie, Vera Elgin, John Farrer, John Laidlaw, Clara Carney, Elfred Burnham, Lemona Cochran.

Not Succeeding Conditionally  
Claude Nease.

The Honor pupils were in last weeks paper.

Miss E. M. McInnis, teacher.

Report for pupils who took exams last week.

Claresholm School, Room III—Pass Grade V to VI—Harry Paulsen, Eric Stenson, Margaret Harvey, Annie Foss, Ledford Wilkie.

Pass Grade IV to V—Willie Vallet-sho, Fred Chambers, Staney Cham-lene, Clara Edlund, Dudley McCoon, Laura Grace, Alfred Burton, Annie Porter, Donald Moffatt.

Pass Grade III to IV—Edgar Nelson, Glen Walker.

The Honor pupils were in last weeks paper.

Miss Teskey, Teacher.

Grade III to IV—Ruth Carver, Dayla Miller, Violet Lewis, Grace Lyndon, Agnes Barker, Myr Valt-sko, Addie Wall, Wilbur Amable, Julius Edlund, Stanley Larion, Kenneth MacKenzie, Gudmund Markson, Jussi Miller, Arsenus Minet, Andrew Pates, Myron Rees, Sam Vaughan, Russ Workman.

Grade II to III—Grace Annable, Bud Davidson, Edna Edlund, Agnes Erickson, Irene Giron, Bertie Guy, Bertha Hoffman, Lily Powers, Mildred Reynolds, Clara Simpson, George Williams, Gifford Johnson, Roy Bees, Albert Scher, Tim Tupper, John Valtsko.

Miss E. Porter, teacher.

Names Not arranged according to marking.

Grade I to II—Wong Yen, Helen Brown, Marian Milnes, Annie Hel-gon, Margaret Greig, Reginald Elliott, Ingelborg Jladson, George Chambers, John Burton, Davis Carver, John Edlund, James Laidlaw, Dorothy Van-horn, Dorothy Maclean, Fern Barn-hall, Albert Maxon, Douglas Finnegor, Jack Reynolds, Edward Fries, Willie Marsh, Nellie Parker, Margaret Wiley, Lloyd Workman, Annie Valtsko, Eric Stenson, Edna Butler, Harry Davidson, Olympia Foss, Muriel Boniface.

Promoted to Senior Grade I—Duncan MacKenzie, Harold Green, Ger-told Davidson, Dorothy Gledits, Florence Atkinson, Maggie Valtsko, Roy Whiteland, Willie Macdon, Margaret McMillan, Alice Kidd, Alberta Gibson, Hannah Paulsen, John Anderson, Harold Newson, Mildred Thomas.

Miss H. Dwyer, teacher.

J. B. Barber's cream parlor is in for the best in the town. Good pastries are always ready for you.

The Picnic in the interest of the Roman Catholic Church will be held on July 15th at Sharnes Grove. A good program of sports and amusements has been arranged. Everyone will be welcome. Come and have a good time.

Miss J. McKinnon left on Thursday morning to spend the summer at Ottawa.

Miss K. Stinson, the girl aviator, pleased everybody with her wonderful performances in the air. George Lath, when watching her soaring upward, remarked that she had no one to dispute the right of way up there.

The big drive of the allies is in full swing, and already the first, second and, in some parts, the third line of German trenches have been taken. The masses are beginning to realize what the long, slow preparation of the allies meant.



## BACK TO THE LAND MOVEMENT SHOULD RECEIVE AN IMPETUS

## TEACHING THE ADVANTAGES OF RURAL LIFE

Should be the Duty of Canadians to go out and Possess the Land  
The Good, Green Earth, Which is the Foundation of  
Whatever Prosperity Our Country Enjoys

tion will be landless. Our country must should take their younger sons and daughters should go out and possess the land instead of drifting into the cities. When the Government is asked to throw away the gifts which were won for them by the courage, endurance and thrift of their pioneering fathers and mothers who made this country:

These much-undervalued pioneers then themselves can, if they will, do much to make the Government's policy more too tightly enforced. Let them take a real pride in their calling and their achievements. Let them preach the virtues of the life and the advantages of rural life. They have with good reason an abiding faith and confidence in the goodness of the land. Let them extend this patriotic faith a little beyond the boundaries of their own farms. They should take a real pride in their district and see a good word, not only for farming as a profession, but also for the district an-

province in which they live. The habit of scrambling for "kneecaps" of pessimism, is the most vicious and destructive force operative in the social and economic life of rural communities today. If this stupid practice could be replaced overnight by permanent habit of speaking with optimism, courage and self-respect, it would be more to reduce the drift of the agriculturist than much legislation and many prayers.—Winnipeg Free Press.

### is Denied

Reports still persist that the German occupants of Belgium are profiting by the importation of foodstuffs under the supervision of the Belgian

As a matter of fact, there is no other safe way in which food can be sent to Belgium except through the Belgian relief commission. The commission just now has its work cut out for it. The conditions in Belgium have rapidly grown worse until now there are

dependent on this organization for their daily food. The immense financial drain to meet this demand is

To meet this the committee is sending out new appeals and directing them particularly to prosperous Canada. The Belgian relief committee, 59 St. Peter Street, Montreal, is receiving the donations for Canada. Has yours gone forward yet?

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## Royal Marriages

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Appear to Have Had no Effect Whatever on the Preservation of Peace

It does not appear that the Germans celebrated the birthday of Kaiser's grandmother with any degree of enthusiasm. At one time it was regarded as a matter of great diplomatic and international importance.

tions concerned when marriages were arranged between the royal houses

When it is remembered that the only advantages have been advanced in recent generations as a strong argument in favor of monarchical situations the present war will be seen to be a continuation of the remaining props of the old school monarchists. If monarchy is to exist, it must be on better ground than that taken up by the monarchists in these matters in recent years. If royal marriages have been calamities to their value.

Germany has really made more of the marriage market than any other nation. Her princesses are tied in every country in Europe

Kaiser was a great favorite of Queen Victoria, and he has remained her

Victoria, and he has repaid her memory with the basest ingratitude. Her eldest son is certainly the most unrepentant hater of things British that can be found. All of which is rather childish and petty. To dislike a nation is useless in accomplishing anything. The true way is to work its regeneration and improve it. Hatred only destroys.—From Toronto World.



## THE MEN'S CASH STORE

Young Men of Claresholm and vicinity take notice that you can buy the best **TIE**, up-to-date in all respects, at the **Cash Store**. New Goods arrived on Monday, June 26th—and they are beauties.

**Straw Hats** for the boys, young men and the old man.

Our stock of **Suits** are fairly complete at present but are going fast.

Agent for Art and Hobberlin special to order suits:

## Carl J. Braren

## MASSEY-HARRIS FARM MACHINERY

FOR SALE Second-hand Dering BINDER, clemp.  
Second-hand Rumely SFEAFATOR.

R. H. WHITEHEAD, near C.P.R. Station, Claresholm

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Auto Accessories, Tires, Gasoline & Lubricating Oils

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## EDITORIAL NOTES

The Argyle Municipal Council has issued a circular letter calling attention to the new regulation regarding the destruction of weeds on the road allowances. Every farmer is now responsible for the destruction of weeds half way across the road adjoining his farm. Default in doing so is punishable with a fine from \$5.00 to \$50.00. Some farmers have cut the weeds on the roads for some years as a measure of self-protection. Others have preferred to have their fields covered with weeds rather than do a little public work free. Now there is no option, and we believe it is a good thing.

We notice too that the Dominion Government is taking a step that should have been taken years ago regarding unoccupied lands. Instead of building new lines they desire to get the land along the existing railways settled. The department at Ottawa is consequently asking for listings of all farm lands for sale in the west. The government will thus try to bring the buyer and seller directly in touch with one another. At present there are too few people on the farms. Many farms are too large. It would be far better for the community if there was a family on every half section. Social centres would then be possible in every community and rural life would become more attractive than town life.

We would call the attention of our readers to the petition that is being prepared by the Free Hospital League. We are in hearty accord with all that the petition claims. There are many in our own neighborhood who know what it is to be handicapped for years through having to pay three or four hundred dollars for an operation at a time when they could ill afford it. Many lives have been sacrificed because people have hesitated too long in calling a doctor. And they hesitated because of the exorbitant prices often charged.

Another map of interest to the public has just been published by the Department of Interior at Ottawa. It deals with the southern portion of the Province of Alberta, showing the part taken up by way of homestead entry, etc., extending from the United States boundary to township 24.

This useful publication is being distributed free of charge, to the following Land Agents, Department of Interior Offices.

## HILL BROCCES

We have just learned that hunting was extra good in the hills this spring and that our friend Joe was particularly fortunate in securing a very fine specimen. It is reported, however that he is likely to be arrested for hunting deer out of season. Detectives are already on the spot.

Mr. W. H. Fletcher is a well-known hunter and sportsman. He is reported to be in the hills this spring and to have secured a very fine specimen of a deer. It is reported, however that he is likely to be arrested for hunting deer out of season. Detectives are already on the spot.

We understand that Mr. W. Cochrane is not at all lonesome as the phone is kept pretty busy.

Mrs. A. E. Fletcher, has returned from Calgary much improved in health.

Why all this secrecy regarding the purpose that R. B. has in his hauling so much lumber. We are getting impatient, Bob.

The fine warm rains of the past week has made everyone happy in this district.

Only a few from this district attended the funeral of King Alcohol in Granum last Friday. One or two went to Calgary to the fair, and incidentally to take part in the wake to be held there. Doubtless many tears were shed.

Mr. F. Dixon has taken over the Alberta Hotel and will run it as a rooming house. Mr. J. Daley is moving to his ranch in the hills.

## Meadow Creek School

Grade VIII—Absent from examinations.  
Grade VI—Carl Crawford 70, Mary Marjorie 70, Robina Vance 68.  
Grade IV—John Crawford 71, Florence Vance 68, Allen Marjorie 67.  
Grade III—Walter Vadnais 73.  
Grade II—Anna Crawford 61, Helen Batts 65, Tessie Batts 61.  
Grade I—Hugh Vance 68.  
Grade I—Ross Marjorie 80, George Crawford 72.

Teacher M. M. MacDonald.  
Miss Archibald, of Winnipeg, visited at Mr. DeForest's on her way to Spokane.

A number from Meadow Creek are attending the Fair at Calgary. Among them are Mr. Bowie and family, Mrs. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Cotter, Miss MacDonald, Miss and Mr. Bissett, Mrs. A. C. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Vance.

Miss Gertrude Seymour and Miss Grace Bissett attended the sports and dance in Parkland on Tuesday.

Miss Ann DeForest returned to her home after writing off her Grade IX exams in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bell visited Lethbridge last week. Mrs. Bell remained in Taber to nurse Miss Maude Bell who is ill with measles.

Miss M. MacDonald, who resigned some time ago from the school here, has accepted a school in which she formerly taught, near Granum.

## Tenders

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to

**Saturday, June 8th, at 6 p.m.**  
for the following improvements to be made on the School No. 2757, New power (1000) feet, 1000 ft. (1000) ft., recent foundation, under pier.

For further particulars and specifications apply to  
W. WEECH, Sec. Treas.  
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Orders for Cream Promptly Executed

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Proprietor

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RESIDENT in the Judgment and

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offer for sale by public

sale the following property

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Province of Alberta, to-wit:

Section 15, Township 24, Range 10, E. 1st

Quarter, County of

Province of Alberta, containing

approximately 160 acres of land

more or less, together with

the improvements thereon, to-wit:

the buildings, fences, and

other improvements thereon, and

the right of way over the same

for the purpose of

the construction of a

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New Grocery

Next Queen's Hotel

Just arrived, a large shipment of

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The whole province will mourn

the loss of Major Stanley Jones, of

Calgary, who died while a prisoner

in Germany. Major Jones was a

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## THE FREE PUBLIC HOSPITALS LEAGUE

Following is a copy of a petition of service throughout the country which, the Free Public Hospitals League of Calgary is undertaking to present to the government of Alberta in 1917.

The Free Public Hospitals League of Calgary has been recently organized by representatives of the Trades and Labor Council, the Ministerial Association of Calgary, and the women. Its object is to ensure the health and life of the people of this province, to the provision of a system of free public hospitals, adequate to meet the needs of every settler in the province, and so bring medical and nursing care within the reach of all.

Under the present conditions the loss of life due to the lack of medical and nursing care is impelling not only the happiness of the people, but the prosperity and progress of the state; while the cost of medical, nursing and hospital care, under our individual competitive system, is exorbitant and imposes an undue burden upon those least able to bear it.

The state is responsible for the health of the people. Good health is essential to democracy. The Free Public Hospitals League therefore urges upon all citizens the advisability of a system of public hospitals but it is maintained by public tax, and administered by the people for their own use.

"Whereas the number of nurses and doctors in the rural communities of Alberta is inadequate to meet the needs of the people; and the cost of care charged by the members of these professions is so high that for centuries ago the attention and services necessary to properly safeguard the life and health of the citizen except at exorbitant cost, and the accommodation of the proper nursing and care of the sick is inadequate and inefficient."

"And whereas the loss of life and health, owing to these conditions, is so great as to constitute a serious national loss and a grave menace to the happiness and welfare of the people."

"Therefore we, the undersigned hereby petition the government of this province of Alberta to take the necessary procedure to inaugurate a system of public hospitals as complete and gratuitous as our public schools."

"And we recommend that these hospitals be built, maintained and administered by the local municipalities whenever possible, that the cost of these hospitals be defrayed by a tax on the land in the municipalities served, that these hospitals be under the direction of an adequate staff of registered nurses, who shall be paid on a scale commensurate with the scale of wages for this class of service throughout the country."

Signed, (Name of organization)

Approved, (Date) by an affirmative vote of (Number) at a meeting held at (Name of place)

## Granum Page

LOCAL NEWS OF TOWN AND DISTRICT

BY OUR STAFF WRITERS  
GRANUM, ALBERTA, JULY 7, 1906

Mr. K. MacGregor sold a Ford car to Carl Anderson last week.

Mr. Rutherford is moving into his new home this week.

D. M. Leyden and family spent a few days in Banff recently.

Miss J. Hunter last week was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cameron.

Mr. Dixon, from the hills west of town, has rented the Alberta Hotel.

Lawyer Hicks of Macleod spent Monday in Granum.

Mrs. Joe Munro and children left for Manitoula Wednesday morning.

Mrs. F. Sandums was a visitor in Clareholm last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tilden spent the holidays with their relatives in Clareholm.

Mr. K. McGreggor purchased a half section of land at Jenner last week.

Mr. P. A. Stewart of the farmers' Bazaar was in Calgary last Friday on business.

Professor Jones gave a recital in Macleod Monday afternoon. Miss Alida Stewart took part in it.

Miss P. Brown has accepted a position as teacher of the Chinook School.

Miss Dickie of Edmonton has accepted a position as teacher of the Cut Bank School.

Some of the town cows wandered off during the storm of Saturday night and were not discovered for two days.

Mr. Geo. Webb has gone up in the mountains for a month or six weeks fishing trip. It is reported that George has already caught some very nice trout.

The Price Lists for the Granum Agricultural Fair are out and on line obtained at the office of James Blair.

There is a generous list of prizes offered. Let everybody help to make this the best fair yet.

The home of Mr. A. Svanen, a few miles North West of Granum, was struck by lightning and burnt to the ground on Sunday morning, during the storm. The piano and the kitchen cabinet were the only things saved.

Mr. C. E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. Cathart, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Anderson, Mrs. Dixon, Mr. Burrows, Mr. T. Dolan and others visited the Calgary Fair on the last of July. Some of the Granum people spent a Sunday in Banff according to town Monday morning.

Every person, every public organization, every church congregation, or church society, every business firm, and every public meeting of people, desiring of securing better conditions for the care of the sick in Alberta, is urged to sign the following petition and forward the signed copy to Mrs. William Gable, 1715 Twenty-ninth avenue south, Calgary, secretary of the Free Public Hospitals League.

Any person or organization desiring of amending any clause of this petition is requested to note and attach the amendment to this petition form.

Any person desiring of cooperating in this campaign will please communicate with the president, Mr. Axel Ross, Labor Hall, Calgary.

How much did your last sickness cost? A Public Hospital for your municipality will cost about ONE CENT PER ACRE in taxes annually. It will be FREE to all who need it.

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## DEATH OF J. BLAIR

We were grieved to hear of the death of James Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Blair, who passed away suddenly at his home, on Thursday, June 29th, after a brief illness only a few hours.

His father and mother left for a trip to Victoria on Wednesday morning and had just reached their destination when they received word of their sad bereavement. They immediately returned to Granum, arriving in time for the funeral which took place on Tuesday morning last.

James Blair was one of the young men of the district who was widely known, and was generally present at all the Church services and social functions. He was always cheerful and helped to make life a little brighter to those with whom he associated.

He leaves to mourn his loss, two married sisters, a brother, William, and a mother and father. One sister, Mrs. Lillian, who lives at the coast, returned with her parents and was present at the funeral. The many friends of the family desire to extend their sympathy to the family in this sad experience.

## Examination Results

Term report of Granum public school, room I.

Promoted to grade IV: Lois Little, Mable Marlow, Dorothy Marlow, Glen Stewart, Clarence Marsh, Willis Lamar, Minnie Loughton. On trial: Melvin McDougall, Raymond Pook.

Promoted to grade III: Elmer Stewart, Alvin Marsh, Percy Russell, Hazel McCorkle, Ellen McCorkle, Ralph Vail.

Promoted to grade II: Eva Smith, Marjorie Stewart, Bertha Little, Edith Blair, Helen Cochlin, Harry Thompson, Cecil Loughton, George McDougall. On trial: Dick Swain, Elma Pook, Frank Beadle.

Promoted to Sr. grade I: Archie Marsh, Vallance Beadle, Russell Blair, Jean Allison.

Average attendance for term 78.38. No. of teaching days school was open during term 116.5.

Best recitation: Percy Russell, George McDougall.

Best attendance: Helen Cochlin, Harry Thompson, Edith Blair, Jennette A. Hunter.

Teacher: The total attendance at the Calgary fair was 110,725.

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Red Cross Notes

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## Weed Convention

About seventy-five delegates were present from various parts of the province at the opening of the Weed Convention on Tuesday last week.

An excellent program of addresses by well known agricultural experts had been arranged, and the delegates showed less interest and appreciation from the beginning to the end of the convention.

Dr. Rutherford gave a very interesting address, giving reminiscences of his early efforts to induce the government in eradicating weeds.

The evening's program, giving out of many makes weeds, awakened the farmers to the fact that what they had considered harmless seed donors, were in many cases seeds of the worst kind.

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